

CPC PROJECT APPLICATION FORM – FY24

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**Applicant:** Fairhaven Board of Public Works **Submission Date:** 9/28/22

**Applicant's Address, Phone Number and Email**

**Purpose: (Please select all that apply)**

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- Open Space
- Community Housing
- Historic Preservation
- Recreation

**Town Committee (if applicable):** BPW

**Project Name:** Livesey Park Phase 3- Final

**Project Location/Address:** 15 Morgan St Livesey Skatepark

**Amount Requested:** \$ 150,000

**Project Summary:** In the space below, or attached sheets if necessary, provide a detailed summary of the project citing the elements of the Review and Recommendation Criteria found in the Application Guidelines and checklists below (p. 4-8)

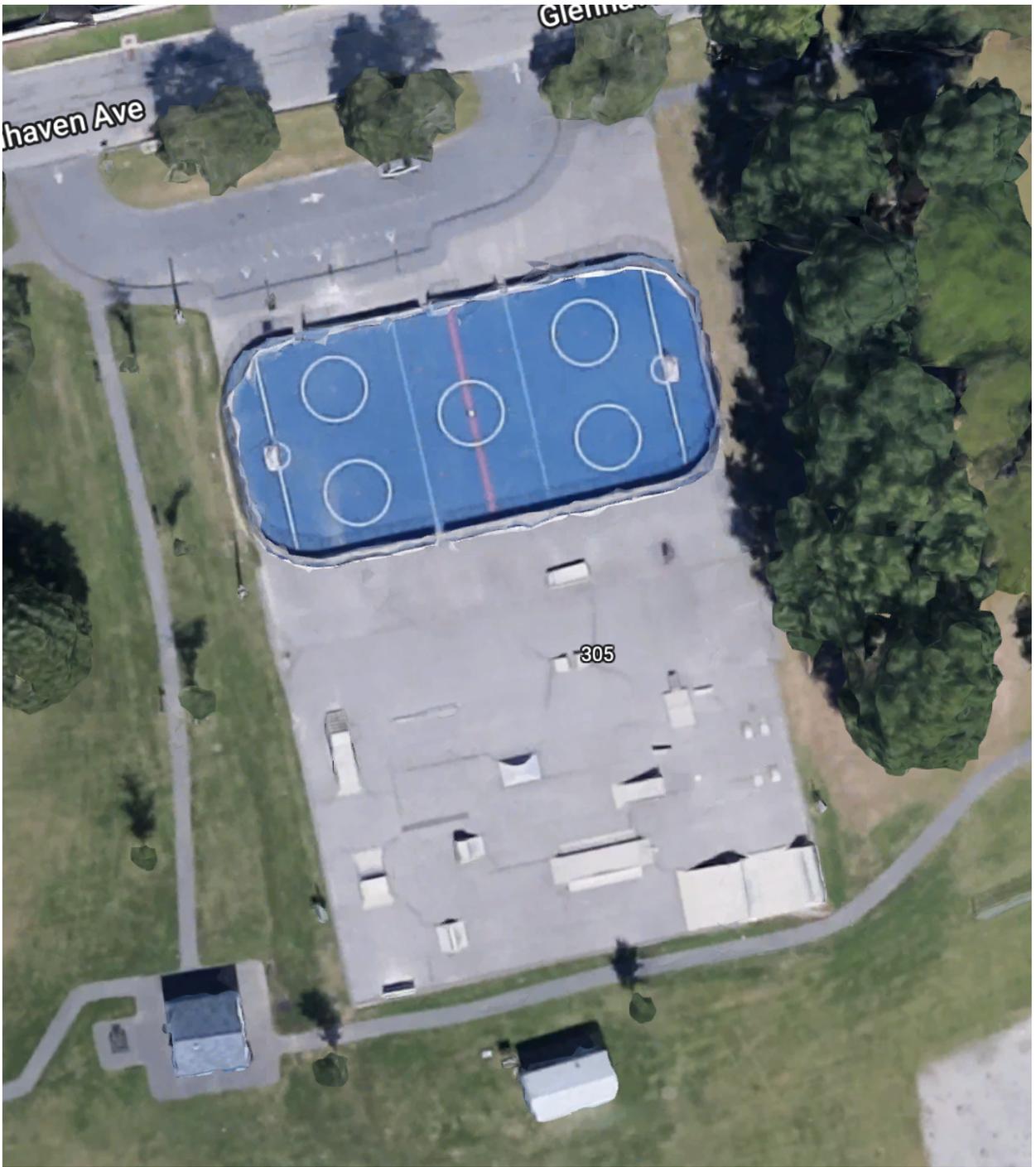
This is the third and final phase of renovation of the Livesey Skatepark. Phase 1 was completed in December 2015 with a grant from CPC and approval at Town Meeting. That first funding was the start of the renovation which was built in the late 90s. Phase 2 CPC funding was approved of at Town Meeting in 2020 and will be completed in Spring 2023. The second CPC funding was to remove all the asphalt and replace with concrete, as well as remove all the older ramps which were not renovated in Phase 1 and have fallen in disrepair.

The final Phase 3 is a request to replace the previously removed concrete ramps with Custom built and designed pressure treated wooden ramps finished in weather resistant Skatelite. These will be on the South section which will be completely flat concrete when Phase 2 is finished. We have requested information from two different skate ramp companies and have an estimate on the cost of this final phase of the park. No additional concrete will be added, the prefab ramps will be placed and attached to the current skatepark footprint. This final phase will make the park completely safe and add a much-needed facelift to the remaining ramps and structures that have fallen apart over the years since the first build.

Even with the older ramps and asphalt, children, youth and adults use the skatepark. It is busy in the afternoon and evenings during the school year and all summer long. Bikes, skateboards and scooters are used by all ages daily. This is the only skatepark in Fairhaven and is very popular but needs to be completed and upgraded not only for safety reasons. Since it opened in the late 90s Fairhaven has benefitted from this skatepark which serves a multigenerational community who ride together and learn from each other.

**Estimated Date for Commencement of Project:** Fall 2023

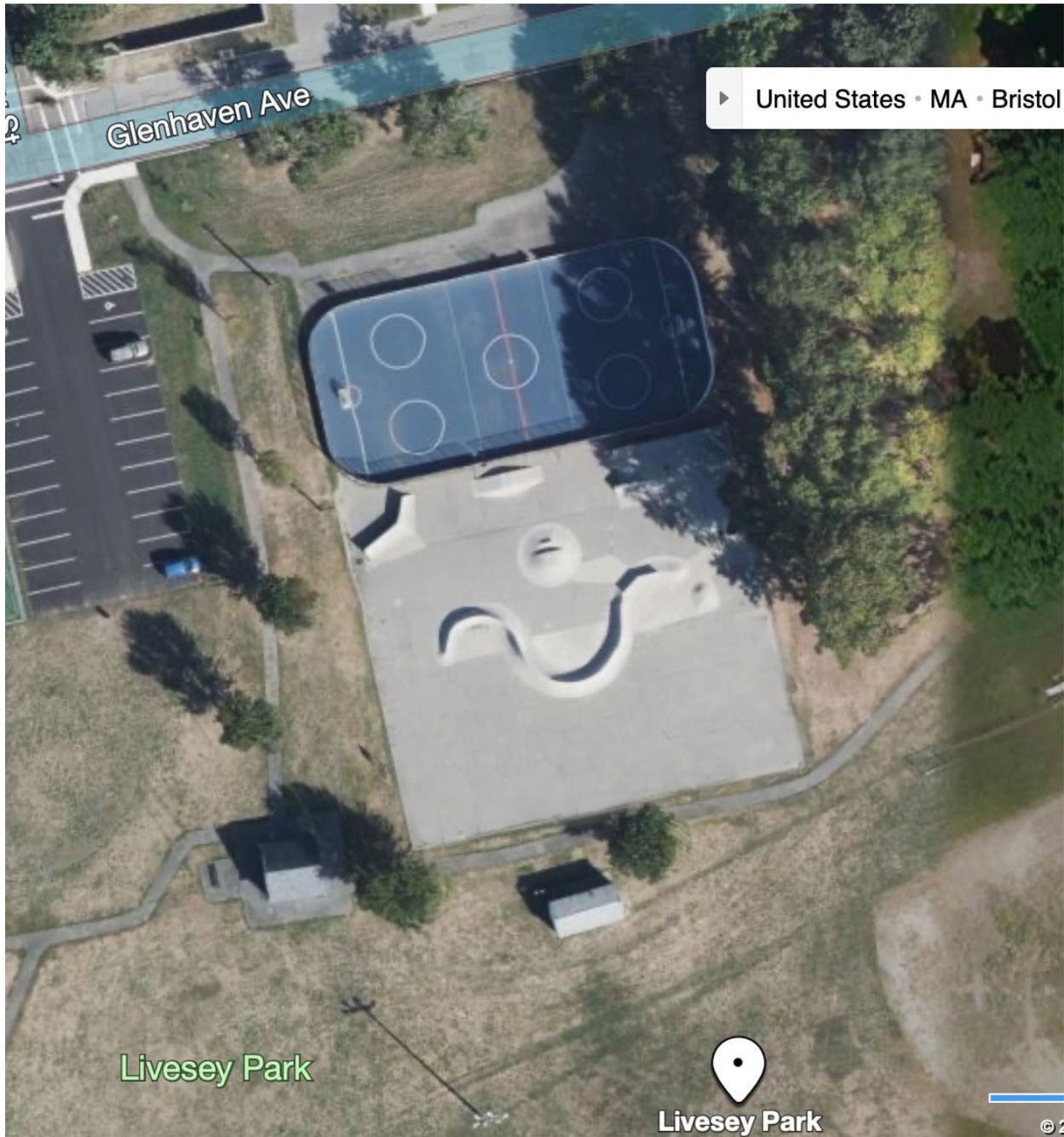
**Estimated Date for Completion of Project:** Spring or Summer 2024



Livesey Skatepark 1999- Funded by North Fairhaven Improvement and Town Meeting article



CPC FY14 Funded Phase 1- \$60,000. Completed Dec. 2015



CPC FY20 Funded Flat surfaces Phase 2- \$200,000 – Estimate Timeline finish Spring 2023

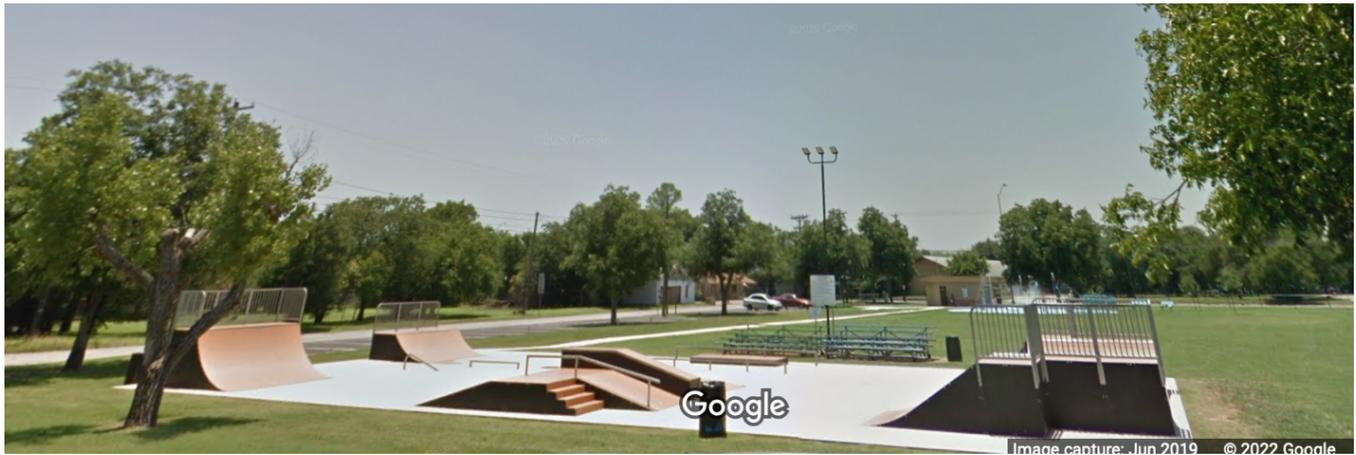
These ramps are to be removed Spring 2023.

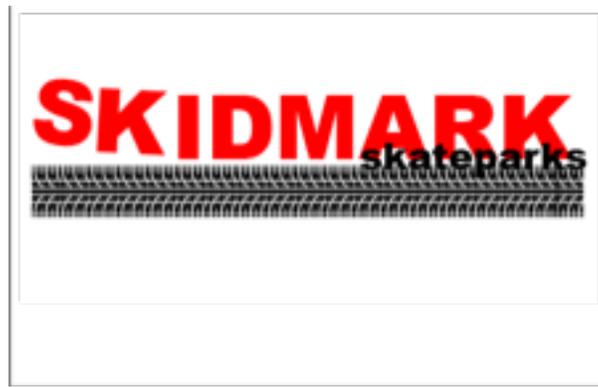






Examples of new prefab ramps





**Estimate:**

**9/28/22**

**Client:** Livesey Park skatepark- Fairhaven

**Job:** Custom design and build and add ramps to site

**Description:** Build new ramps at existing site with pressure treated wooden frames and finished in weather resistant Skatelite finishing. Attached and construct at existing concrete skatepark.

- --Bowl
  - Wedge ramp
  - Quarter pipe
  - Rails and ledges
  
- - **Proposed Total –**
  
- \$150,000.

**General Criteria for All Projects** – Check off and address each criterion as it applies:

- Is the project consistent with the goals of the Town of Fairhaven *Community Preservation Plan*?
- Does the project have other sources of funding? If so, indicate percentage.
- Does the project leverage additional or multiple sources of public and/or private funding?
- Does the project preserve a threatened resource?
- Is the project consistent with existing Planning Documents such as the Master Plan and Open Space Plan?
- Does the project comply with the zoning regulations?
- Does the project have a means of support for maintenance and upkeep? BPW
- Does the project involve currently owned municipal assets? BPW-Parks
- Does the project serve underserved populations or address more than one focus area of the CPA?
- Does the project reclaim abandoned or previously developed lands?
- Does the project require a Special Permit, NOI, Building Permit or other permitting? Please list all local and State permits you are aware of that the project will need.
- Does the project have community support? Does the project provide a positive impact to the community?
- Does the project have sufficient supporting documentation?
- Has the applicant/ team demonstrated the ability and competency to implement the project as proposed?
- Does the applicant have site control, or the written consent by the property owner to submit an application?

**Recreation Criteria** - Check off and address each criterion as it applies:

- Will more than one age group use the project?
- Can the project be used by more than one activity (multi-use)?
- How many participants will normally use the project at once?
- Is this project the first of its kind in the Town or County?
- Can participants be unsupervised by an adult use the project?
- Are grants available to help pay for the construction? If so, has application been made for the grant? Possible grants and sponsors available but haven't heard back yet. Since it is a municipal site, not always funded with 501c3 grants.
- Does the project include considerations for additional parking? No need at this time.
- Can the project be used more than 1 of the 4 seasons per year? All year
- Does the project match the character of the surrounding area?
- Does the project include all normal safety considerations?
- Does the project meet all building and safety codes?
- Is the project accessible by pedestrians, bicycles, transit?